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Foreword

What do we remember in years long after?

The friends we've made, some tears, much laughter,
The courses so hard, the games lost and won,
The plays, the banquets, and loads of fun.

We here portray in a cursory way

Some glimpses of joy, elusive and gay.

We hope you'll find pleasure in many a look,
At the 1950 Marlintonian yearbook.

Dedication

We give our lives in search of Treasure
Of gold or silver, without measure;
Far richer gains in knowledge and learning
Are ours for the seeking, at every turning.

To guide us on this more serious quest
Are teachers who labor without rest.
To one of these, Miss Smith, our friend,
We dedicate this book, with affection no end.

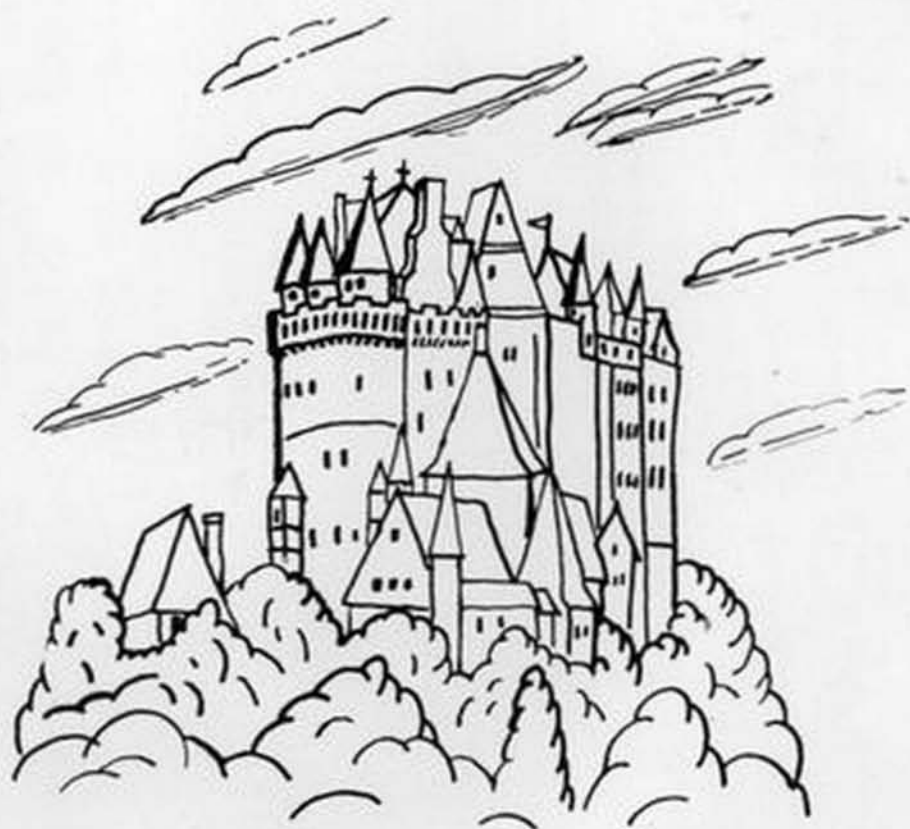
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Flower: White Violet

Class Motto: "Climb though the rocks be rugged."

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Josephine Beverage
Don Bowers
Kenneth Bryant
Larry Buzzard
Dreama Carr
Earl Christian
Wilma Clutter
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Virgil Curry
Eva Davis
Don Defibaugh
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Vera Vallandingham
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Motto: "He profits most who serves the best"

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 Dale Armstrong
 Kermit Boggs
 Thelma Burgess
 Kyle Carpenter
 Zoe Carpenter
 Curtiss Carr
 Floyd Channell
 John Coyner
 Eugene Cutlip
 Jimmie Davis
 Oleta Davis
 Kenneth Doyle
 Geraldine Dunbrack
 Evelyn Ervine

Elmer Friel
 Joan Friel
 Eddie Faulkner
 Jewell Galford
 Eleanor Gibson
 Lowell Gibson
 Evelene Hannah
 Sam Harper
 Julian Hively
 Guy Jackson
 Billy Johnson
 Robert Johnson
 Junior Johnson
 Rose Kellison
 Doris Lambert
 Betty Landis

Tom Malcomb
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 Patsy McNeill
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Colors: Blue and White

Flower: Lilac

Motto: "Not at the top but climbing"

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CAROLYN THOMAS HARPER CALLISON MARY ALYCE BEARD
 Colors: Orange and Black Flower: Tiger Lily

Motto: "Forward Faring"

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 John Gibson
 Gerald Gordon
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 Helen Sharp
 Wade Sharp
 Charles Showalter
 Carolyn Thomas
 Joyce Thomas
 Mary Underwood
 Nancy Underwood
 Quentin Underwood
 Don Van Reenan
 Roy Ware
 Ann Yeager

HALE ALDERMAN

"He's tall, he's dark and
oh so quick
And with the girls he's
he's very slick."

Junior and Senior Plays;
Band—4; Chorus—3, 4;
4-H Club—2; National
Honor Society—4.



HERBERT ARDELL

"He drives a truck with
the greatest of ease
His quiet manners
always please."

Football — 1; Electron
Club—2, 3



MARY ALYCE BEARD

"She plays the brat with
convincing smile
Uses all her charms the
boys to beguile."

Band—1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus
—3, 4; Senior & Rotary
Plays; 4-H Club—1, 2, 3,
4; F. H. A.—2; Marlintonian Staff—4; Copperhead Staff—4



MAYONNA ASTIN

"Sparkling ring on finger
slim
Leave high school boy a
hope very dim."

Glee Club—2



BETTY BRIGHT

"Like her name she's
very smart
She's out to win some
young man's heart."

Glee Club—2; Dramatic
Club—1



RICHARD BEVERAGE

"So full of mischief, so
full of flight
To save your life, you'd
better take flight."

F. F. A.—2, 3, 4; 4-H
Club—2



CLYDE BUSSARD

"Our ex-G. I. does set the
pace
With courteous manners
and smiling face."

Junior President; Chorus
—4; Football & Basketball
Manager—3; Cyanide
Society—3



BARBARA BURNS

"Always helping, never
blue
To Raymond she is
always true."

A.D.D.—2, 3, 4; Chorus—
—3, 4; Junior & Senior
Plays; Band—1, 2; 4-H
Club—1, 2, 3, 4; F. H. A.
—2, 3; Audubon Club—3;
Copperhead Staff — 4;
National Honor Society
—4



HAROLD BUTCHER

"Ladies man with wavey hair
For flirting he has such
a flare."

Football Manager—1, 2;
Basketball Manager—1;
Basketball—2, 3; Football
—3, 4; Softball—1, 2;
Baseball—3; 4-H Club—
1; Marlintonian Staff—4;
Copperhead Staff—4;
Senior Play; Senior Class
Secretary

BONNIE CARPENTER

"Her voice cheers out
loud and with spirit
No matter where you
are, you'll hear it."

4-H Club—1, 2, 3; F. H.
A.—2, 3, 4; Basketball—
1, 2, 3, 4; Junior &
Senior Plays

DALE CURRY

"A lark is this boy's meat
and drink
Of disaster he keeps the
class on the brink."

Football—1, 4; Basketball
—1, 2, 3, 4; Junior &
Senior Plays; Baseball—3
4; 4-H Club—1, 2, 3, 4;
Electron Club—1; Marlintonian Staff—4

FLOYD DAVIS

"In bookkeeping there is
no better
He knows the book from
kiver to kiver."

Fix-it Club—3; Literary
Club—2

HARPER CALLISON

"He runs us all ragged
with ideas and such
To keep up with him
would be too much."

Band—1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus
—3, 4; 4-H Club—1, 2, 3,
4; Cheerleader—3, 4;
Class President—1; Class
Cheerleader—2, 3, 4;
Magazine Sales Manager
—3, 4; Marlintonian Staff
—4; Copperhead Staff—
4; Boy's State—3; Na-
tional Honor Society—4.

WANDA CLARK

"In basketball she makes
a good guard
At this for four long
years she's starred."

4-H Club—2; F. H. A.—2
3, 4; Basketball—1, 2, 3,
4

ERNESTINE CUTLIP

"Just mention Ducks and
watch her blush
When she's driving, she
seems in a rush."

4-H Club—1, 2, 3, 4; Glee
Club—1, 2; Camera Club
—3; Basketball—4

EZRA DEAN

"So quiet is this boy, I
ween
He speaks but little, and
is seldom seen."

F. F. A.—2, 3, 4; Chorus
—4



ROBERT DUMIRE

"So small a lad to make
so much noise
A right jolly fellow with
the boys."

Football—1, 2, 3, 4; Base-
ball—3, 4; Basketball—1;
F. F. A. 2, 3



EUGENE GALFORD

"Eugene is a quiet lad
But when he's with
Robert, he can be quite
bad."

Fix-it Club—3



MARVIN GALFORD

"He dresses well, he
looks so neat
He sweeps the girls
right off their feet."

Ass't. Basketball Mana-
ger—3; Class team—3, 4;
Commercial Club—3, 4;
Basketball—4; Marlinton-
ian Staff—4



ROBERT GALFORD

"In typing class he has
one pet phrase
He types and types for
days and days."

Fix-it Club—3; Electron
Club—2



WILMA GALFORD

"So very blonde, so shy
and demure
She'll make her mark,
we're very sure."

4-H Club—1; F. H. A.—2,
3; Glee Club—2; Chorus
—3



GILDA GAY

"At basketball she's quite
a trick
In Economics she gets
by slick."

Basketball—1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H
Club—1, 2, 3, 4; F. H. A.
2, 3, 4



GRACE GAY

"In basketball she's a
second George King
She puts them in as if
they had wings."

Basketball—1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H
Club—2; F. H. A.—2, 3, 4



HAROLD GIBSON

"Davey has quite a way
with the girls
They rave about his
pretty blonde curls."

F. F. A.—2; Football—1,
2, 3, 4; Cyanide Society
—3; Junior Play



JOHN GIBSON

"A killer-diller physique
has he
But underneath he's
meek as can be."

Chorus—3, 4; F. F. A.—
2, 3; Football—4; Base-
ball—3; Basketball — 3;
4-H Club—1, 2, 3, 4



GERALD GORDON

"As a poet he'll never cut
any ice
At other things he's
always very nice."

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H
Club—1, 2; Band—1;
Chorus—4; Class Treas-
urer — 2; Copperhead
Staff — 4; Marlintonian
Staff—4; Senior & Ro-
tary Plays; Publicity
Manager; Football—3



JEWELL HANNAH

"Of all the girls, she is
the most tall
Which helps a lot in
basketball."

Basketball—1, 2, 3, 4; F.
H. A.—2, 3, 4; 4-H Club
—1, 2



SUE HARPER

"Blue-eyed blonde with
engaging ways
She keeps the boys in a
kind of daze."

A. D. D.—3, 4; Chorus—
1, 2, 3, 4; F. H. A.—2, 3;
Copperhead Staff—4; 4-H
Club—1, 2, 3, 4; Junior &
Senior Plays



VIRGINIA LIPTRAP

"Cute as a doll and three
times as nice
She makes all the boys
look at her twice."

Chorus—1, 2, 3; Collec-
tor's Club—3; Basketball
—1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Play



NEAL LONG

"He's friendly and jolly
and loads of fun
We've put him in charge
of all our "mun"

Football—2, 3; Chorus—
3, 4; Softball—2; Sopho-
more President; Electron
Club—2; Football Mana-
ger—4; Senior Treasurer.



HERBERT MACE

"He's coming—he's gone
in a cloud of dust,
Get out of his way we
must, we must!"

Basketball—1, 2, 3, 4; F.
F. A.—2, 3, 4; Junior &
Senior Plays; Chorus—3,
4; Band—4; 4-H Club—1,
2, 3, 4



JAMES MANN

"For one so quiet, he's
quite a pest
But all his fun is only
in jest."

Electron Club—2; F. F.
A.—4

DAN MOORE

"Titian hair and titan
Physique
At banquets he is in
demand to speak."

Football—1, 2, 3, 4;
Basketball—3, 4; Junior
Play; Cyanide Society—
3; Commercial Club—4;
Freshman treasurer;
Senior President; Nat-
ional Honor Society



JIMMY MOORE

"Athletics his meat,
chemistry his dish
To him, best of every-
thing is our wish."

Football—1, 2, 3, 4;
Basketball—1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H
Club—1, 2, 3; Baseball—
3, 4; Sales Captain—3;
Commercial Club—4;
Senior Vice President;
Honor Society



MESCAL MORRISON

"Of all the things in this
world so sweet
The best of all, she
thinks is Pete."

F. H. A.—3; Chorus—2,
3, 4; Basketball—2, 3, 4



EDWIN PENNYBACKER

"Sunshine is as Sunshine
does
He keeps the girls all in
a buzz."

Football—1, 2, 3, 4; Soft-
ball—2; Baseball—3, 4;
Electron Club—2; Fix-it
Club—3



EUGENE PESCOSOLIDO

"Pesky by name, but not
by nature
Fortune will smile upon
him we're sure."

Football—1, 3, 4; Elect-
ron Club—1



ROBERT PYLES

"Very silent, but oh so
smart
Few excell him in his
art."

Copperhead Staff—4;
Marlintonian Staff—4;
Chorus—4



GORDON RICKETTS

"At imitations he's the
class specialist
Cats, dogs no end to the
list."

Basketball—2, 3; Football
—4; F. F. A.—2, 3; Sen-
ior Play; Class team—1,
2, 3, 4; 4-H Club—1, 2



LUCY ROSE

"She's jolly, she's friend-
ly and oh so wise
With a disposition and
heart to match her
size."

4-H Club—2, 4; Cyanide
Society—2, 3; F. H. A.—
4; Chorus—3, 4; Manager
Basketball 3, 4; Commer-
cial Club—4



SHIRLEY SAGE

"Shirley and Virginia
they're always to-
gether
Singing and laughing, in
fair or foul weather

Chorus—1, 2, 3; Collec-
tor's Club—3



HELEN SHARP

"When she's feeling gay,
she makes us all smile
The kind of a girl who'll
go the second mile."

A. D. D.—2, 3; Chorus—
3; Audubon Club—3;
Copperhead Staff—4;
Band—1, 2



WADE SHARP

"Really is a lot of fun
Has a nickname for
everyone."

Football—1, 2, 3, 4; F. F.
A.—2, 3, 4; Baseball—3,
4; Softball—2



CHARLES SHOWALTER

"Charlie has the cutest
grin
His friendly manner is
sure to win."

F. F. A.—2, 3; Chorus—4



CAROLYN THOMAS

"A popular girl with lots
of poise
She helps us make a lot
of noise."

Band—1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus
—3, 4; 4-H Club—1, 2, 3,
4; Junior & Senior
Plays; F. H. A.—2; A. D.
D.—2, 3, 4; Copperhead
Staff—2; Marlintonian
Staff—4; Girls State—3;
National Honor Society



JOYCE THOMAS

"The dark haired miss
who likes to tease
When with her friends,
she's very much at
ease."

F. H. A.—3; Chorus—3, 4



MARY UNDERWOOD

"Pretty blonde with
wavy hair
For shorthand she has
quite a flair."

Audubon Club—3, Bible
Club—2; Basketball—1, 2,
Club—2; Basketball—1, 2,
3, 4



QUENTIN UNDERWOOD

"What a pleasant place
our school would be
If everyone were as
quiet as he."

Electron Club—2; Fix-it
Club—3; Baseball—2, 4;
Softball—2; Basketball—
2

DONALD VANREENAN

"To argue is the joy of
his life
Just wait till he gets a
nagging wife."

Electron Club—2; Fix-it
—3



ROY WARE

"Up the stairs and down
the halls
Round the balcony and
up the walls."

Electron Club—2

ANN YEAGER

"So tall and graceful and
smart is she
We have high hopes of
what she will be."

A.D.D.—2, 3, 4; Chorus—
3, 4; Band—1, 2; F. H. A.
—2, 3; Copperhead Staff
—4; Marlintonian Staff
—4; 4-H Club—1, 2, 3;
Junior & Senior Plays;
Girl's State—3; National
Honor Society—4

EDDIE LIGHTNER

"A south-paw pitcher that
can really hook'em
Someday he'll probably
pitch for Brooklyn."

Basketball—1, 2, 4; Foot-
ball — 4; Softball — 2
Baseball—3, 4

NANCY UNDERWOOD

"Precious things in small
packages grow
With Nancy, this is
really so."

F. H. A.—2, 3, 4

Graduating By Credits and General Educational Development Test

Styrl Hively
Maurice Lang
Lowell Sharp
Herald Hannah
Thomas Gibson

Graduating From Credits From American Schools

Velma Burgess

Exploration Expedition

of

THE CLASS OF 1950

One day in September 1946, we, the Seniors of 1950, started out to conquer a strange country about which other adventurers had brought back tales—Marlinton High School. Our crew elected Harper Callison, Captain; Ann Yeager, Co-Captain; and Dan Moore, Scribe. We took Carolyn Thomas and Peggy Zickafoose along to entertain us and to raise our spirits if the going got tough. When we landed we found ourselves surrounded by a strange tribe who initiated us to their country in a strange manner peculiar to their tribe. But after this formal welcome, they entertained us well. Now that we had made our landing, we started our search for the fabulous treasure, the Tournament Cup.

Traveling inland, we came to the land of the Sophomores where we elected a red headed athlete, Junior Long, as our leader. Dale Curry was his Chief Lieutenant, and Ann Yeager became the Scribe. Gerald Gordon was put in charge of guarding the treasure. Carolyn Thomas and Harper Callison were elected to keep the band in spirits. A new expedition of treasure seekers entered Marlinton High this year, and it fell our lot to welcome them. We were zealous in protecting our hold upon this land and we did not want them to find our treasure, so we tried to dissuade them as best we could. Nevertheless, they proved themselves brave enough to stay, so we received them into Freshman Land. This year, as we neared the farthest boundaries of Sophomore Land, we were much elated over beating the other expeditions to the Tournament Cup, the fabulous treasure of our ardent search. Our joy was dampened when a strong and powerful warlord, Chief Yeager, told us that we could not keep this cup until we first proved ourselves worthy of it; we must defend our rights to this treasure through the jungle of knowledge in two more lands before we could keep this Treasure of All Treasures.

In Junior Land, we trudged on one six-weeks at a time through many different courses. By now, Junior Long was weary of the responsibilities of leadership (along with football) and we elected an experienced warrior, Clyde Buzzard, to lead the expedition. His lieutenant was Jimmy Moore, his Scribe was Sue Harper, and his treasure-keeper was Dan Moore. This year for a little variety, we had some Gypsies entertain us with a play, "Hobgoblin House," and later we had a very gala Fiesta to add to our treasure store. Chief Yeager once more presented us with the Tournament Cup for the brave showing which we had made in Junior Land. Another expedition ahead of us decided to abandon their exploration in Marlinton High for other countries, so we prepared a banquet in their honor before they left the land which we were beginning to hold as our beloved country.

Just as our hopes of completing the journey were beginning to run low, we entered upon the last phase of our search, the Land of Seniors. Worn by the trials endured on our search, we began to take on a more sober appearance, although we still had the same old foolishness and jollity underneath. (This fact was brought out when we ran across some pretty maids belonging to the savage tribe known as Faculty). Once more we chose a red headed athlete as our leader, Dan Moore, and for his assistant, Jim Moore. The Scribe was Harold Butcher and the Treasure-keeper was Junior Long. Our store of treasure has steadily increased, for we have been diligent in our search. As we near the end of our journey, we are presented the Tournament Cup which becomes our permanent possession. We have prepared a record of our achievements in the form of a yearbook, so that future expeditions may know of our arduous search and accomplishments. Now that we have completed our expedition, we realize that there is treasure in this land of much higher value than that of the cup—the treasure of learning, of character, and of friendship. As we leave the jungle of high school with all its exotic flowers of experience, we cast our eyes upon the Sea of the Future, upon which we hope to sail in our ship, "The Learned," to conquer new and greater lands.

Senior

We, the members of the Senior Class of nineteen hundred fifty, being of sound mind and realizing that our days in M. H. S. are growing short in number, do hereby make, publish and declare our Last Will and Testament:

I, HALE ALDERMAN, do hereby will to Norman Shaw my Cassanova ways with the girls (and Teachers) in hopes he will get by with having as many on a string as I did.

I, HERBERT ARDELL, do hereby will to Jack Bear my shy ways and also my seat in the Thomas Grocery truck so he won't have an excuse for being late delivering his papers.

I, MAYONNA ASTIN, do hereby will to Evelyn Curry my real engagement ring so she won't turn her finger green by wearing twelve cent ones.

I, MARY ALYCE BEARD, do hereby will to Jane Ruckman my copy of the book, "Ten Ways to be Popular."

I, RICHARD BRIGHT, do hereby will to my brother, Robert, my good grades and ability to get along with the teachers.

I, BARBARA BURNS, do hereby will to Peggy Madison my true-blue loyalty to Raymond and hope that she will acquire this same trait.

I, CLYDE BUZZARD, do hereby will to Richard Byrd my ability to speak the Korean language for reasons not mentionable.

I, HAROLD BUTCHER, do hereby will my summer job at Watoga to Naomi Mace in hopes that she will get along with the Governor's nephew as well as well as I did with his daughter.

I, HARPER CALLISON, do hereby will my ability to operate a mimeograph to Eddie Linebaugh, since he has started to help with the paper.

I, BONNIE CARPENTER, do hereby will my strong voice to Betty Meeks saying, "She might as well have everything."

I, WANDA CLARK, do hereby will my long legs to Patsy Simmons so she will be able to see the games next year.

I, DALE CURRY, do hereby will to Bubbles Moore my gift of gab, since he has such a quiet nature and could use it.

I, ERNESTINE CUTLIP, do hereby will to "Deenie" and "Rozie" my place on the "Hot Seat" so they can fight over it.

I, FLOYD DAVIS, do hereby will by bookkeeping book to Robert Mace, and I surely hope he can get along with Miss Dilley.

I, EZRA DEAN, do hereby will myself to M. H. S.—the flag pole is wearing out, you know.

I, ROBERT DUMIRE, do hereby will my ringside seat in chemistry to anyone who has not seen Miss Moore take a fit of apoplexy.

I, EUGENE GOLFORD, do hereby will to Fred Johnson the authority to keep an eye on Marie Cross next year.

I, ROBERT GOLFORD, do hereby will to "Smokey" my honest ways.

I, WILMA GOLFORD, do hereby will my quietness and shyness to Glenna Jean Rhea.

I, GILDA GAY, do hereby will my long legs to any girl who thinks she can catch "Davey" Gibson.

I, GRACE GAY, do hereby will the honor of becoming captain of the basketball team to Thelma Burgess, hoping she will enjoy it as much as I did.

I, HAROLD GIBSON, do hereby will some of my height to Miss Moore so she will be able to get her crasers down from the loudspeaker next year when I am gone.

I, JOHNNY GIBSON, do hereby will my height to the basketball team, so they can tip them in next year.

I, GERALD GORDON, do hereby will my last quarter to a certain gang of girls to buy a pack of cigarettes so they will stop bumming me for smokes.

I, JEWELL HANNAH, do hereby will my glasses to anyone who can afford a windshield wiper to keep them clean.

Wills

I, SUE HARPER, do hereby will my baby-sitting jobs to Ramona Wooddell so she will have something to do while Teddy is away.

I, EDDIE LIGHTNER, do hereby will to the boys in Smokology class all of my cigarette butts saying, "They're good to the last drag."

I, VIRGINIA LIPTRAP, do hereby will my love of mischief to Annabelle Crawford, in hopes that she will cheer things up next year.

I, NEAL LONG, do hereby will my place as treasurer of the Senior Class to Nancy Adkison with the admonition, "It's no snap, my dear!"

I, HERBERT MACE, do hereby will to Norman Shaw my motorcycle so that he can scare the girls to death.

I, JAMES MANN, do hereby will my typing desk to Bob Williams so that he can pester the person in front without being seen.

I, DAN MOORE, do hereby will my deck of cards to Jimmy Davis providing he will learn to beat Jane Ruckman at "Canasta" for me.

I, JIM MOORE, do hereby will my Tarzan physique to Basil Sharp so he can play football next year.

I, MESCAL MORRISON, do hereby will Pete's and my parking space in front of school to any girl who thinks she can get to class before the tardy bell rings.

I, EDWIN PENNYBACKER, do hereby will my nickname, "Sunshine," to Eddie Faulkner. He looks as if he needs a little sunshine in his life.

I, EUGENE PESCOLIDIO, do hereby will my accent to anyone who thinks he can take the kidding that I have about it.

I, ROBERT PYLES, do hereby will one of my "A's" to Herbert Morrison so he will know what it looks like.

I, GORDON RICKETT, do hereby will to Eddie Linebaugh my ability to bark like a dog so that he can warn people when he is coming.

I, LUCY ROSE, do hereby will my reducing pills to Betty Meeks.

I, SHIRLEY SAGE, do hereby will my voice to the alto section of the chorus.

I, HELEN SHARP, do hereby will my record for excellent driving to Betsy Clark. Don't do anything to spoil this record, Betsy!

I, WADE SHARP, do hereby will to Bob Mace all the "laps" I had to do in football. I hope you have as much fun as I did. Ha-Ha!

I, CHARLES SHOWALTER, do hereby will all my love to Viola Beverage.

I, CAROLYN THOMAS, do hereby will my place as head cheerleader to Jackie Bear in hopes that he will keep up our winning streak for the tournament cheering trophy.

I, JOYCE THOMAS, do hereby will my ability as a chemist to the Atomic Energy Research.

I, MARY UNDERWOOD, do hereby will my pretty hair and my quiet ways to Glenna Jean Rhea.

I, NANCY UNDERWOOD, do hereby will to Brooks Mason my ability to look like an innocent angel in typing class.

I, QUENTIN UNDERWOOD, do hereby will my ability to keep out of trouble to Billy Jo Johnson.

I, DON VANREENAN, do hereby will my typing chair to Grey Jackson because it is the only one he can sit in and rest his feet on the floor.

I, ROY WARE, do hereby will my legs to any boy who will walk Nancy Pennybacker to her bus after school.

I, ANN YEAGER, do hereby will my place as A. D. D. treasurer to anyone who will be faithful and work as hard as I have.

—Carolyn Thomas.

Senior

NICKNAME	LOAFING PLACE	USUALLY SEEN WITH
"JEFF" ALDERMAN	Pool room	Norman Shaw
"HERB" ARDELL	Pool room	Buzzard, Butcher
MAYONA ASTIN	Johnson's	Jim McLaughlin
"BEARD" BEARD	Harry's	The other five
"DICK" BEVERAGE	Pool room	Roy Ware
"DOOGLE" BRIGHT	Anywhere	Brother Bob
"BOBBY" BURNS	Harry's	The other five
"OPSO" BUSSARD	Pool room	H. Butcher
"BUTCH" BUTCHER	Williamsburg II	Williams, Bussard
"H. T." CALLISON	Thomas'	Gerald, Dan, Jim
"SQUIRT" CARPENTER	Anywhere	Wanda Clark
"CLARK" CLARK	Anywhere	Bonnie Carpenter
DALE CURRY	Pool room	Brooks Mason
"ERNIE" CUTLIP	Hot seat	"Deenie"
FLOYD DAVIS	Helen's	Russell Nottingham
"DICK" DEAN	Pool room	Quentin
"DOLESS" DUMIRE	Pool room	Jim Moore
"GENE" GOLFORD, E.	Pool room	Galford, VanReenan
"RED" GOLFORD, M.	Pool room	Herb Ardell
"BOB" GOLFORD, R.	Pool room	Galford, VanReenan
"PENNY" GOLFORD, W.	Huntersville	Cam
"BEBE" GAY, GILDA	Helen's	Jewell Hannah
"RED" GAY, GRACE	Harry's	Duck
"DAVE" GIBSON, H.	Pool room	Collett
"JOHNNIE" GIBSON, J.	Pool room	Dave
"GORDON" GORDON	Callison's	Harper, Dan, Jim
"JULIE" HANNAH	Helen's	Gilda
"SUSIE" HARPER	Harry's	The other five
"BONES" LIGHTNER	Pool room	Tom Morrison
"GINNY" LIPTRAP	Helen's	Shirley
"RED" LONG	Pool room	Hale A.
"HERB" MACE	Pool room	Ricketts
"JIM" MANN	Typing Class	McKenney
"RED" MOORE, D.	Pool room	Jim, Gerald, Harper
"TARZAN" MOORE, J.	Pool room	Dan
"MECK" MORRISON	Graham's	Pete
"TWO GUN" PENNYBACKER	Pool room	Quenton
"PESKY" PESCOSOLIDO	Pool room	Dumire
"BOB" PYLES	Balcony	Brother Letcher
"ROVER" RICKETTS	Pool room	Mace
LUCY ROSE	Balcony	Nancy
"SHIRL" SAGE	Valley Head	Virginia Liptrap
"SHARPIE" SHARP	Harry's	The other five
"BOOTS" SHARP	Pool room	Pennybacker
"CHARLIE" SHOWALTER	Pool room	Blondie Beverage
"LANG" THOMAS	Harry's	The other five
"JO" THOMAS	Harry's	Ann Yeager
MARY UNDERWOOD	Harry's	Betty Pennington
"SHORTY" UNDERWOOD	Harry's	Lucy Rose
"LILY" UNDERWOOD	Pool room	Pennybacker
"DUCK" VANREENAN	Pool room	The Galfords
ROY WARE	Pool room	R. Beverage
"YEAG" YEAGER	Harry's	The other five

Statistics

WANTS TO BE

DESTINED TO BE

NOTED FOR

Bus. Administrator	Second Clark Gable	Good acting
Forester	Grocery man	Driving Thomas Truck
Beautiful	Housewife	Diamond Ring
Music teacher	Clerk	Flirting
Farmer	Farmer	Fighting
Scientist	School teacher	Laziness
School teacher	Mrs. Nelson	Blushing
Forest Ranger	Forest Ranger	Talking Korean
Politician	Director of State Parks	Talking to pretty teachers
Surgeon	Genius	Studying
Social Studies Teacher	Wife of Storekeeper	Big mouth
Photographer	Model	Big mouth
Millionaire	Pauper	Ability to get out of tests
X-ray technician	Housewife	Good driving
Machanic	Truck driver	Bookkeeping
Park Superintendent	Pan-handler	Height
Mech. Engineer	Truck driver	Arguing
Business man	Logger	Sly mischief
Motel Operator	Ladies' man	Red Hair
Forester	Farmer	Quietness
Typist	Housewife	Temper
Nurse	Loafer	Temper
Nurse	Loafer	Temper
Lawyer	Politician	Football
Aviator	Pres. of U. S.	Getting out of tests
Dentist	Sport caster	Reading good books
Cow girl	Housewife	Basketball
X-ray technician	Seamstress	Snippy remarks
Loafer	Tramp	Cigarettes
Beautician	Nothing	Laughing
Football Coach	Sailor	Red hair
Forest Ranger	Willy Hoppe II	Mule train
Mechanic	Farmer	Slowness
Forest Ranger	Laborer with S. R. C.	Eating
Chemist	Pro-Football player	Common sense
Bookkeeper	Housewife	Day dreaming
Engineer	Farmer	Evelene
Pro-wrestler	Coach	Football
Atomic Physicist	Farmer	Art
Dentist	Sound effect man	Jokes
Mortician	Nothing	Big mouth
Singer	Nothing	Talking
Career woman	Soda jerk	Feather brains
F. B. I. agent	Gangster	Loafing
Undertaker	Policeman	Lover boy
Lab technician	Storekeeper	Day dreaming
School teacher	Stenographer	Talking
Secretary	Housewife	Pretty hair
Nurse	Baby Sitter	Loafing
Chemist	Night club operator	Quietness
Court reporter	Turkey farmer	Small size
Farmer	Farmer	Fighting
Home Ec teacher	Shaw's wife	Height

Cloud Pictures

As I sit on my porch and gaze into the clouds, I can see many strange things in the Future.

I can see "Herbie" Ardell running the greatest super-market in the town of Marlinton. Yes, he has plenty of help. I can see Nancy Underwood as his cashier, pocketing all the "odd change." Dale Curry is his experienced meat cutter, and what an experience! I can also see Gerald Gordon as editor of a newspaper in Marlinton—it's the GORDON DAILY and he gives all the data on the ball games. I see Carolyn Thomas as superintendent of nurses and Harper Callison as head doctor at the Pocahontas Memorial Hospital. They seem to be performing an operation: I should have known—they are pickling Helen Sharp's brain in alcohol. Above the microscopic bottle is a sign, "The Smallest Organism Known." I can see Ann Yeager teaching home economics in M. H. S. What is that awful odor! No wonder the potatoes are burning, because "Davey" Gibson, who is teaching chemistry, has just walked into the kitchen and everything else is forgotten. Mescal Morrison is happily married and giving lessons to high school girls on "How to acquire a loving man." Jewell Hannah is proprietor of the Rexall Drug Store—she had plenty of experience.

This cloud begins to turn and now I see Ezra Dean as supervisor of Watoga State Park—he is sponsoring a new program, training wild animals. Richard Beverage is directing the training of "dear." I see Quentin Underwood running a night club, "The Mocombo of the Mountains," at the entrance of Watoga. There's Hale Alderman as the owner of a garage at Huntersville—he seems to have quite a business, and guess why? Roy Ware is his salesman; he always could talk! I can see Mary Underwood sitting at home waiting for a call to be a stenographer.

This cloud rolls by and another takes its place. There are Robert and Eugene Galford, owners of the biggest fish pond in the state located on Williams River. As the cloud dims a little I see Johnny Gibson and Charles Showalter as the greatest evangelists of their day—I always knew those boys were going to be fine citizens. Shirley Sage is quietly sitting at home, (with her hair rolled up), reading a book, just waiting for some man to propose. Eugene Pescosolido is still working on the R. R. (Right Road, that is) trying to reach his goal. Robert Dumire is in business giving lessons on "Your First Job"—the first one he had didn't work, so he was never able to get another one. Gordon Rickett is Lassie's stand-in in the movies—barking, of course.

This cloud has now parted to reveal Grace Gay, Wanda Clark, Bonnie Carpenter, and Gilda Gay playing basketball. The name of their team is "G. W. C. G." (Gee, What Cute Girls). Floyd Davis is driving the bus which takes the girls from place to place, and Jimmie Mann is their general manager.

The clouds are again rolling furiously and I see "Red" Long carrying the "pigskin" for the Coast Guard. We always knew that he was going places. I can also see Marvin Galford designing clothes in New York—the latest fashion is knee pants for men. Imagine that! Undoubtedly that is Herb Mace riding that motorcycle around the wall at the World's Fair. Betty Bright's latest invention is on display at the World's Fair, and Robert Pyle's famous paintings are creating quite a stir. Lucy Rose and Don VanReenan have a show of their own—the "World's Greatest and Smallest People." I see Eddie Lightner pitching for the Brooklyn Dodgers while Dan Moore is batting for the St. Louis Cardinals—both undefeated teams up to date. I can see Ernestine Cutlip squawking her head off for the Dodgers. As the clouds break up again, I see Mary Alyce Beard as the greatest music instructor of the day at W. V. U. I just know that her secretary is Sue Harper, now that she is such a success. Yes, there is Jim Moore coaching the W. V. U. team, and Clyde Buzzard is, most assuredly, their busy manager. Joyce Thomas is instructing in the commercial subjects at the university. It seems strange that so many classmates are together.

Turning my gaze a little, I see Virginia Liptrap as owner of the "Rat Shop," a restaurant at Elkins, and Mayonna Astin is there as a waitress. Now the clouds are changing and I see Wade Sharp down on a plantation in Virginia raising tobacco. He's always sure now of having a cigarette. I keep gazing and see Barbara Burns at the police station trying to find Raymond Junior. He's lost! It appears that Harold Butcher and Edwin Pennybacker have gone West to herd cattle and wait for the next discovery of gold. I can see Wilma Galford married and living on a ranch in California. Styrl Hively has taken a new position—Secretary of Defense.

Everything is growing black; it must be the effects of the brainstorm I just had, so I had better direct my gaze on new things before I lose my vision.

School Calendar

SEPTEMBER

- 7—First day of classes
- 9—First football game—Frankford
- 12—Assembly—elect cheerleaders
- 13—Classes hold elections
- 15—Copperhead Staff organized
- 20—Ring order goes out

OCTOBER

- 5—Jolly Pioneer 4-H organized
- 7—Holiday—Forest Festival
- 12—Magazine Contest
- 18—Mar'intonian Staff organized
- 25—Freshman Initiation
- 28—Speaker—Prof. Crocker of W. V. U.
- 31—Cake-Walk—F. H. A. and F. F. A.

NOVEMBER

- 3—Driver Demonstration
- 3—Show for Carol Burgess
- 8—Talent Show—M. Y. F.
- 9—School pictures taken
- 10-11—S. E. A.
- 15—Speakers from D. & E.
- 23—Reptile Show—Washington Zoological Society

DECEMBER

- 14—Bird Show—Washington Zoological Society
- 15—Christmas Play—Graded School
- 16—Alumni Basketball game
- 20—Senior play—"Three Girls and Jeffrey"
- 23—Christmas Holliday

JANUARY

- 2—Classes resume
- 12—Semester exams.

FEBRUARY

- 9—Social Security Representative
- 21—Assembly—D. & E. program
- 23—Junior play—"Here Comes Charlie"
- 27—Christian Youth Program

MARCH

- 1—Christian Youth Program
- 3—Christian Youth Program
- 2—Sectional Basketball Tournament
- 8—Seniors take Glenville test
- 10—Bridgewater College Representative
- 13—Lion's Club Banquet for Basketball boys
- 14-16—Class tournament
- 17-18—Rotary Play—"The Adorable Imp"
- 20-22—Jr. High Tournament

APRIL

- 3—Salem College program
- 11—Grade School Operetta — "The Land Of Dreams Come True"
- 12—W. V. U. Representative
- 18—Marshall College program
- 28—County Chorus Music Festival

MAY

- 11—Junior-Senior Banquet
- 14—Commencement Sermon
- 15—Class Night
- 18—Commencement Exercises
- 24—Last day of school

The 1950 New Conquistadores

by
CALLISON

We are Conquistadores, We're Forward Faring
over the Knowledge Sea:

Gladly we'll conquer new lands as far as we can
see:

Always we'll conquer whatever it is that we
will ever try,

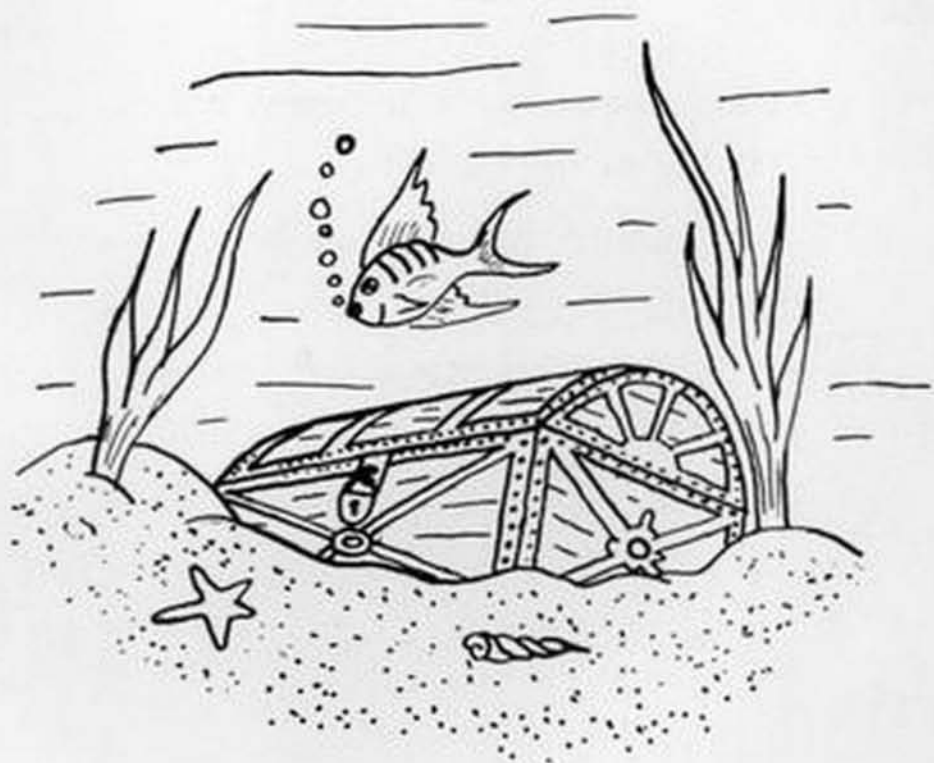
Always we'll cherish the name of Alma Mater
Marlinton Hi.

We'll fight with might
For right in sight,
Whatever the odds may be;

And on new lands
We'll take our stands,
And stretch up like a tree:

So, we, the Class of Fifty, will make new
conquests o'er and o'er and o'er,

We, the Class of Fifty, the Nineteen-fifty
New Conquistadores.



Activities





National Honor Society

Officers:

PRESIDENT	DAN MOORE
VICE PRESIDENT	CURTIS CURRY
SECRETARY	CAROLYN THOMAS
TREASURER	ANN YEAGER
REPORTER	JIM MOORE
SPONSOR	MRS. ALICE MOORE

The members of this organization—chosen because they are outstanding in Leadership, Service, Character, and Scholarship—pledge themselves to uphold the standards of the National Society.

Members:

SENIORS

Hale Alderman
Barbara Burns
Harper Callison
Herbert Mace
Dan Moore
Jim Moore
Carolyn Thomas
Ann Yeager

JUNIORS

Curtis Curry
Evelyn Curry
Anna Jean Daetwyler
Collett Gibson
Howard Gibson
Naomi Mace
Peggy Madison
Creola Schumaker
Ramona Wooddell



M. H. S. Band

CONDUCTRESS: MISS EDITH MAY

DRUM MAJORETTE: NANCY ADKINSON

STRUTTERS:

Jean Clutter, Lorraine Robinson, Jenny Howard, Vera Ann Vallandingham

Events: Home Football Games, Home Basketball Games, Coronation of
King and Queen of Football and Basketball

Officers:

PRESIDENT	BETTY LANDIS
VICE-PRESIDENT	NANCY ADKINSON
SECRETARY-TREASURER	CAROLYN THOMAS
SOCIAL CHAIRMAN	MARY ALYCE BEARD
PUBLICITY CHAIRMAN	HALE ALDERMAN

MEMBERS

Joan Wanless	Trumpet	Anna Jean Daetwyler	Clarinet
Barbara Moses	Trumpet	Harper Cal'ison	Saxophone
Alma Pennybacker	Trumpet	Janet Morrison	Saxophone
Patty Shafer	Trumpet	Betty Landis	Cymbals
Jack Bear	Trombone	Herbert Mac	Snare Drum
Peggy Madison	Clarinet	Hale Alderman	Snare Drum
Carolyn Thomas	Clarinet	Arlo Alderman	Bass Drum
Mary Alyce Beard		Bellyre	



M. H. S. Chorus

The Marlinton High School Chorus descended from the Marlinton High School Glee Club and first became an organization in M. H. S. September, 1948. This year the chorus presented the Christmas Cantata, "The Infant Holy." Also the chorus presented commencement music and joined with the other county high schools in the Pocahontas County Choral Festival.

DIRECTOR: EDITH MAY

PRESIDENT	HALE ALDERMAN
VICE PRESIDENT	CAROLYN THOMAS
SECRETARY-TREASURER	ANN YEAGER
PUBLICITY CHAIRMAN	MARY ALYCE BEARD
SOCIAL CHAIRMAN	RAMONA WOODDELL

SOPRANOS

Nancy Adkison
 Mary A. Beard
 Barbara Burns
 Wanda Beverage
 Evelyn Curry
 Anna J. Daetwyler
 Janet Dilly
 Sue Harper
 Cecile LaRose
 Betty Meeks
 Peggy Madison
 Lorraine Robinson
 Anne G. Richardson
 Vera Vallandingham
 Joan Wanless
 Ester Bell
 Dreama Carr
 Jean Clutter

Fuby Doyle
 Barbara Deputy
 Alma Reed
 Joan Rexrode

ALTOS

Mescal Morrison
 Lucy Rose
 Edna Lee McElwee
 Peggy Moore
 Dotty McLaughlin
 Josephine Beverage
 Wanda Gibson
 Wilma Galford
 Regina Hannah
 Colleen Moore
 Erma McCarty
 Patty McNeill
 Joan Ricketts

TENORS

Harper Callison
 Herbert Mace
 Jack Bear
 Arlo Alderman

BASS

Hale Alderman
 Ezra Dean
 Lowell Gibson
 Bob McCarty
 Robert Pyles
 Charles Showalter
 Harry Tyree
 Eugene Wilfong
 Bob Williams
 Gerald Gordon



Here Comes Charlie

Presented by THE JUNIOR CLASS February 23, 1950

Larry Elliott, a debonair, kindly young fellow, thinking he is becoming guardian of a small boy, is astonished to find he has taken a pretty and charming girl of seventeen to rear. Charlotte is nicknamed "Charlie," hence the mistake. Larry is engaged to a spoiled and scheming society girl, Vivian Smythe-Kersey, and is further dominated by her disagreeable, arrogant aunt, Mrs. Farmham. Charlie arrives from Arkansas accompanied by Uncle Alleck Twiggs.

This is a play with riotous laughter all the way through and ends with a surprising element.

CAST OF CHARACTERS

CHARLIE (Larry's ward)	EVELYN CURRY
LARRY (young business man)	KENDALL McNEILL
UNCLE ALLECK (in charge of Charlie)	EDDIE LINEBAUGH
NORA (the maid)	RAMONA WOODDELL
TIM (young policeman)	JAMES MALCOMB
VIVIAN (Larry's fiancée)	PEGGY MADISON
MRS. SMYTHE-KERSEY (Vivian's mother)	NANCY ADKINSON
TED (college pal of Larry)	BOB WILLIAMS
MORTIMER (Vivian's brother)	FRED JOHNSON

DIRECTOR: MRS. POLLY S. REYNOLDS



Three Girls and Jeffrey

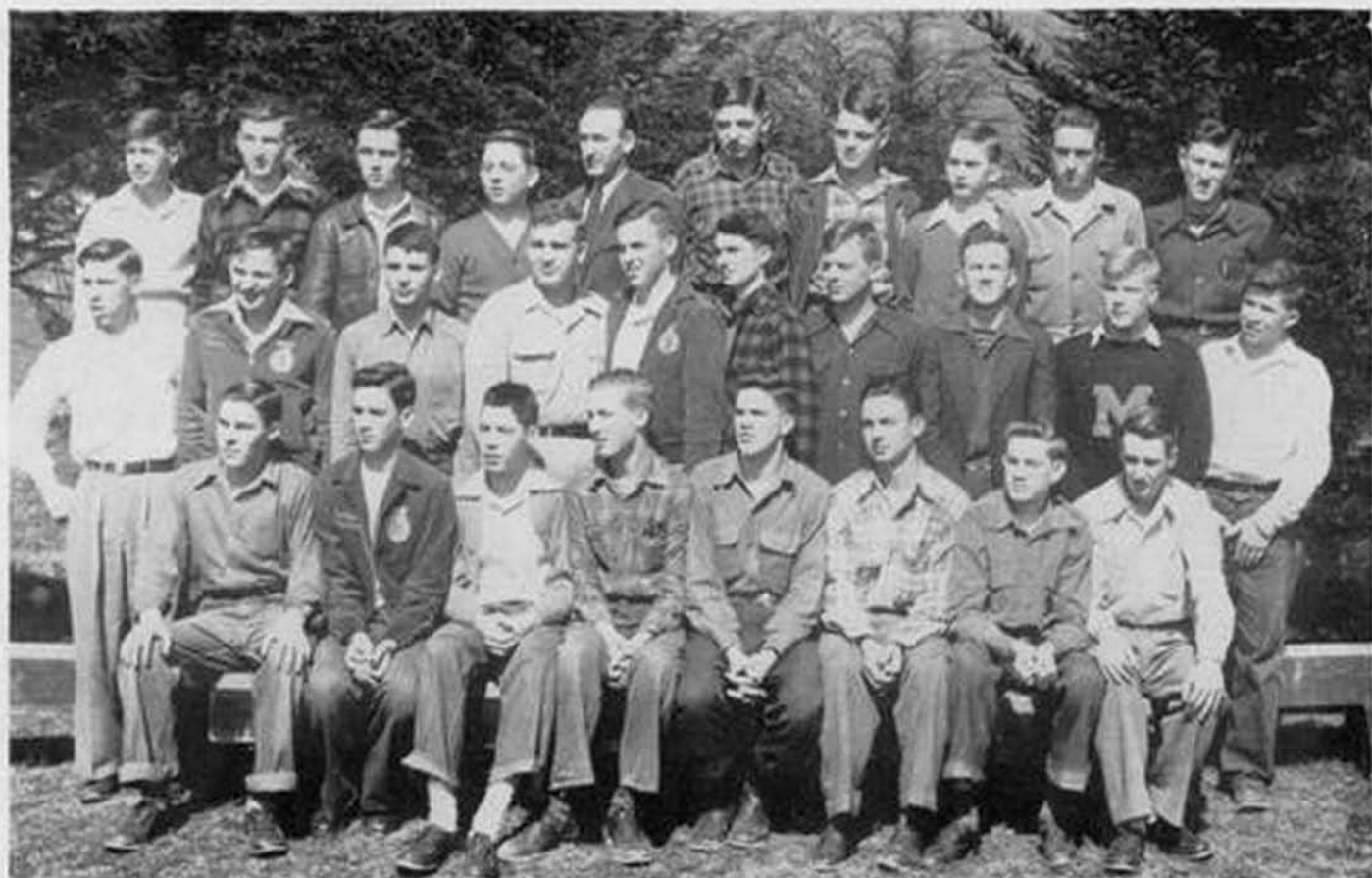
Presented by THE SENIOR CLASS December 20, 1949

Jeffrey Dunsmore, a personable young bachelor, has inherited millions from the estate of his eccentric sister, but on condition that he continue all her philanthropies. This seems reasonable enough, until he learns that her Mexican lawyers are to administer this part of the estate, and they refuse to divulge any information concerning her many interests. But Jeffrey has not long to wait, for three girls from an elite boarding school, Greystone, arrive and announce that they have come to spend the summer with "Uncle Jeff," because they are now his wards. Jeffrey's fiancée arrives and resents the presence of the girls, but consents to chaperone them. The girls size her up as a fortune hunter, and proceed with plans to expose her and have Jeffrey fall in love with Miss Pomeroy, their beloved teacher. Their inventive genius is so sharp that Jeffrey thinks he is going mad and having hallucinations, for he sees six girls instead of three, and wounded aviators wandering about the place. Finally the girls prove their point about his fiancée, and they decide that they will have to accompany Jeffrey and Miss Pomeroy on their honeymoon to keep them from misfortune.

CAST OF CHARACTERS

LAMBERT (the butler)	GERALD GORDON
JEFFREY DUNSMORE (a youthful bachelor)	HALE ALDERMAN
ANNE	VIRGINIA LIPTRAP
DORINDA	CAROLYN THOMAS
SUNNY (3 members of the wrecking crew)	MARY ALYCE BEARD
TRINA MELLETE (Jeffrey's fiancée)	SUE HARPER
PAUL MARCAL (a wealthy playboy)	HERBERT MACE
ALICIA POMEROY (Trina's rival by strategy)	ANN YEAGER
PAT HENDRICKS (who has a fine line)	HAROLD BUTCHER
DON LAWRENCE (a crooner)	DALE CURRY
PENELOPE	HELEN SHARP
EILEEN	BARBARA BURNS
CATHIE (the 3 Milby sisters)	BONNIE CARPENTER

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A. D. D's.

An organization of girls who have pledged the use of their spare time to help the Athletic Association. The "Dog House" is their chief project for raising the money which they use to serve food to visiting teams during basketball season. At the end of the year they entertain all those athletes who have earned letters. At games the girls have charge of the tickets, help with the advertising, and make themselves useful in many ways.

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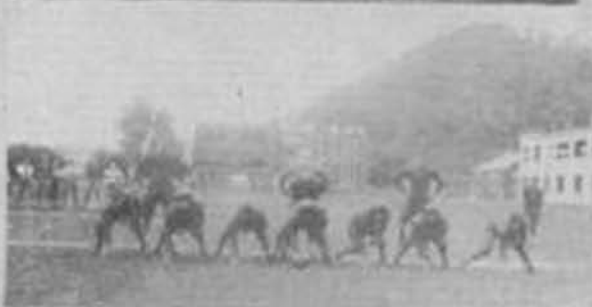
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Popularity Contest

GIRL

BOY

Helen Sharp	Happy-go-lucky	"Red" Long
Barbara Deputy	Biggest Pest	Jackie Bear
Grace Gay	Best Sport	Dan Moore
Evelyn Curry	Most Dramatic	Hale Alderman
Carolyn Thomas	Friendliest	Dan Moore
Carolyn Thomas	Most Suitably Dressed	Marvin Galford
Creola Schumaker	Biggest Book Worm	Dale Armstrong
Carolyn Thomas	Most Original	Harper Callison
Ann Yeager		
Ann Yeager	Biggest Drag With Faculty	Harper Callison
Shirley Sage	Best Pals	Dan Moore
Virginia Liptrap		Jim Moore
Carolyn Thomas	Cutest	Harold Gibson
Carolyn Thomas	Best Looking	Harold Gibson
Helen Sharp	Biggest Chatter-box	Dale Armstrong
Vera Ann Vallandingham	Most Conceited	Harper Callison
Evelene Hannah	Biggest Blusher	"Red" Long
Edna Lee McElwee	Most in Love	Richard Byrd
Helen Sharp	Laziest	Fred Johnson
Grace Gay	Best Athlete	Dan Moore
Ann Yeager	Most Typical Senior	Dan Moore
Ann Yeager	Most Likely to Succeed	Harper Callison
Carolyn Thomas	Most Popular	"Red" Long
Miss Shiffler	Most Popular Teacher	Mr. Anderson





Football

Schedule

Date	Score	Marlinton	vs.	Opponent	Score	Place
Sept. 9	6	Marlinton	vs.	Frankford	18	There
Sept. 16	13	Marlinton	vs.	Lewisburg	0	Here
Sept. 23	20	Marlinton	vs.	Webster Springs	12	Here
Sept. 30	13	Marlinton	vs.	Hillsboro	0	There
Oct. 7	0	Marlinton	vs.	Alderson	12	Here
Oct. 14	0	Marlinton	vs.	White Sulphur Springs	6	Here
Oct. 21	32	Marlinton	vs.	Renick	0	Here
Oct. 28	0	Marlinton	vs.	Richwood	14	There
Nov. 5	0	Marlinton	vs.	Greenbank	14	There

Statistics

	Touchdowns	Extra Points	Total
Richard Byrd	5	3	33
Harold Butcher	1	0	18
Edwin Pennybacker	1	0	6
Jim Moore	1	0	6
Eugene Pescosolido	1	0	6
Herbert Morrison	1	0	6
Robert Dumire	1	0	6
Dan Moore	0	2	2
Curtis Carr	0	1	1



Basketball

Schedule

Date	Score	Marlington	vs.	Opponent	Score	Place
Dec. 16	45	Marlington	vs.	Alumni	48	Here
Jan. 3	65	Marlington	vs.	Frankford	13	Here
Jan. 6	46	Marlington	vs.	Lewisburg	24	Here
Jan. 10	36	Marlington	vs.	White Sulphur Springs	34	There
Jan. 13	51	Marlington	vs.	Cowen	25	Here
Jan. 17	28	Marlington	vs.	Greenbank	31	There
Jan. 19	79	Marlington	vs.	Renick	40	Here
Jan. 23	81	Marlington	vs.	Hillsboro	44	There
Jan. 27	52	Marlington	vs.	Webster Springs	42	Here
Jan. 31	39	Marlington	vs.	Lewisburg	31	There
Feb. 2	72	Marlington	vs.	Frankford	13	Here
Feb. 7	61	Marlington	vs.	Renick	34	There
Feb. 10	45	Marlington	vs.	White Sulphur Springs	42	Here
Feb. 14	41	Marlington	vs.	Webster Springs	31	There
Feb. 17	44	Marlington	vs.	Greenbank	45	Here
Feb. 21	35	Marlington	vs.	Cowen	34	There
Feb. 23	68	Marlington	vs.	Hillsboro	34	Here
Feb. 28	56	Marlington	vs.	Alumni	32	Here

Season Statistics

D. Curry	173	C. Curry	82
G. Gordon	156	B. Mason	32
J. Moore	109	B. Welder	18
E. Lightner	98	C. Carr	16
D. Moore	91	L. White	15



Junior High Basketball

Schedule

Score	Home Team	Opponent	Score
28	Marlinton	vs. Elkins	13
37	Marlinton	vs. Cass	9
36	Marlinton	vs. Lewisburg	37
24	Marlinton	vs. Durbin	6
29	Marlinton	vs. Hillsboro	7
23	Marlinton	vs. Durbin	7
16	Marlinton	vs. Lewisburg	23
19	Marlinton	vs. Hillsboro	10
26	Marlinton	vs. Greenbank	7
19	Marlinton	vs. Cass	11
45	Marlinton	vs. Greenbank	15

Sectional Tournament

HIGH SCHOOL B

Marlinton 61

Marlinton 57

Hillsboro 36

Marlinton 37

Renick 38

Greenbank, Champions

Frankford 14

Greenbank 41

Greenbank 71

TOURNAMENT STATISTICS

Curry, D. 58 points

Moore, D. 31 points

Moore, J. 25 points

Mason, B. 17 points

Curry, C. 12 points

AWARDS: All Tournament, D. Curry, D. Moore and J. Moore; High Point Man in one game, D. Curry; High Point Man in tournament, D. Curry; Trophy for Best Cheerleader, Harper Callison; Trophy for Best Cheering Section.

JUNIOR HIGH

Cass 15

Greenbank 14

Greenbank 22

Hillsboro 10

Hillsboro 15

Marlinton, Champions

Marlinton 23

Marlinton 36

Durbin 8

Best All-Around Player, Jimmy Hannah; All-Tournament Team, Craig Carr and Jimmy Hannah; Best Guard in tournament, Craig Carr.

Class Tournament



BOYS' TOURNAMENT

Freshmen 23

Seniors 37

Sophomore 32

Juniors 28

Seniors 46

Sophomore 26

Seniors, Champions



GIRLS' TOURNAMENT

Freshmen 5

Juniors 9

Sophomore 13

Seniors 42

Juniors 5

Seniors 34

Seniors, Champions

AWARDS

Tournament Cup	Seniors
Cheering	Freshmen
Attendance	Juniors and Seniors
Sportsmanship	Freshmen
Decorations	Juniors